Name

**Address** 



55164-0640

Zip Code

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box  Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to response	PTO/SB/05 (11-00) Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE and to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.
UTILITY	Attorney Docket No. CAY-006
PATENT APPLICATION	First Inventor Caywood, John M.
TRANSMITTAL	Title Method and Apparatus for
(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))	Express Mail Label No. EL839723426US
APPLICATION ELEMENTS	ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  Box Patent Application
See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.	Washington, DC 20231
Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)  Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  Specification [Total Pages   00   - Descriptive title of the invention - Cross Reference to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description - Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure  4. X Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets ]  5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages ]  Newly executed (original or copy)	7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)  8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)  a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)  b. Specification Sequence Listing on:  i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or  ii. paper  c. Statements verifying identity of above copies  ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS  9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))  10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of (when there is an assignee)  11. English Translation Document (if applicable)  12. Information Disclosure Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  13. Preliminary Amendment
b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) (for continuationIdivisional with Box 18 completed)  i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).  6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76	14. X Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)  15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)  16. Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.  17. X Other: Ausmitial.
The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadv	oply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment,  of prior application No.:/  Group Art Unit:  the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under nuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference.
Customer Number or Bar Code Label	or Correspondence address below

City 408-287-8040 408-292-5800 Fax USA Telephone Country Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) Name (Print/Type) Date Signature

State

CA

David B. Ritchie

P.O. Box 640640

San Jose

THELEN REID & PRIEST LLP

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Patent Application, Washington, DC 20231.

PTO/SB/17 (11-00)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002, OMB 0651-0032
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

## **FEE TRANSMITTAL** for FY 2001

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

Complete if Known		
Application Number	Not yet assigned	
Filing Date	Herewith	
First Named Inventor	John M. Caywood	
Examiner Name	Not yet assigned	
Group Art Unit	Not yet assigned	
Attorney Docket No.	CAY-006	

METHOD OF PAYMENT	FEE CALCULATION (continued)	
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge	3. ADDITIONAL FEES	
1. \( \subseteq \) indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:  Deposit \( \subseteq 0.1600 \)	Large Small	
Account S0-1698		Fee Paid
Denocit C	Code (\$) Code (\$)	
Account THELEN REID & PRIEST LLP		
Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17	127 50 227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
	139 130 139 130 Non-English specification	
A See 37 CFR 1.27	147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
2. X Payment Enclosed:  Y Check Credit card Order Other	112 920* 112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
FEE CALCULATION	113 1,840* 113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
	115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within first month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE Large Entity Small Entity	116 390 216 195 Extension for reply within second month	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	117 890 217 445 Extension for reply within third month	
Code (\$) Code (\$)  101 710 201 355 Utility filing fee	118 1,390 218 695 Extension for reply within fourth month	
106 320 206 160 Design filing fee	128 1,890 228 945 Extension for reply within fifth month	
107 490 207 245 Plant filing fee	119 310 219 155 Notice of Appeal	
107 490 207 243 Flatt lifting fee	120 310 220 155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee	121 270 221 135 Request for oral hearing	
1 255 00 1	138 1,510 138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
30B107AE(1) (4)	140 110 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Fee from	141 1,240 241 620 Petition to revive - unintentional	
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	11	
Total Claims 72 -20** = 52 × 9.00 = 468	143 440 243 220 Design issue fee	
Independent Claims X = 720	144 600 244 300 Plant issue fee	
Multiple Dependent	122 130 122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
	123 50 123 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	126 180 126 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Code (\$) Code (\$)	581 40 581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20 102 80 202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3	146 710 246 355 Filing a submission after final rejection	
104 270 204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	(37 ČFR § 1.129(a))  149 710 249 355 For each additional invention to be	
109 80 209 40 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	149 710 249 355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
110 18 210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20	179 710 279 355 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
and over original patent	169 900 169 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)//88	Other fee (specify)	
**or number previously paid, if greater, For Reissues, see above	*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)	).00
or number providedly para, is gradien, i or residence, see above		

Complete (if applicable) SUBMITTED BY Telephone Name (Print/Type) Signature

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.